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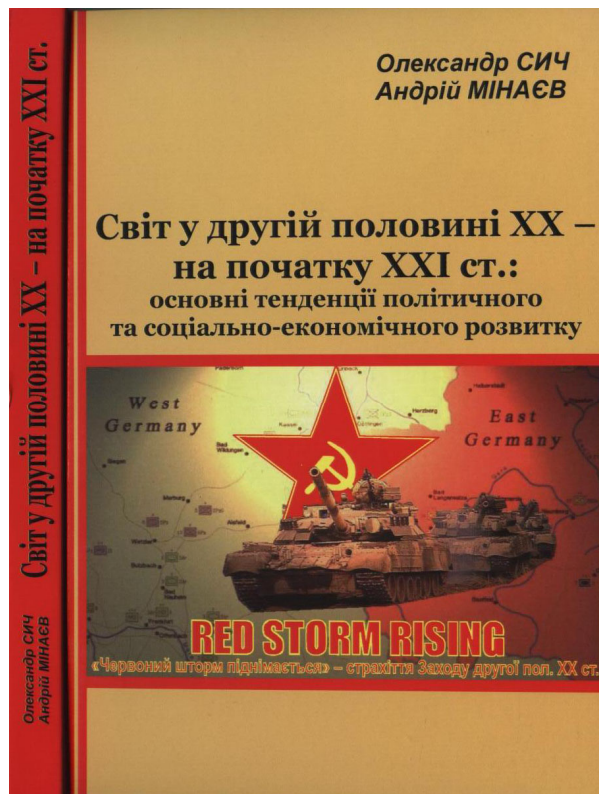
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**THE WORLD IN LATE XX<sup>TH</sup> – EARLY  
XXI<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY: THE MAIN TRENDS OF  
POLITICAL AND SOCIAL-ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT: Manual. – Chernivtsi,  
2010.**

**Ключові слова:** міжнародні відносини, соціально-економічний та політичний розвиток, „холодна війна”, деколонізація, регіональні війни та локальні конфлікти, інтеграційні та дезинтеграційні процеси, науково-технічна революція, постіндустріальне суспільство, глобальні проблеми сучасного світу.

**Мінаєв Андрій. ПРЕЗЕНТАЦІЯ СИЧ А.І., МІНАЄВ А.В. СВІТ В ДРУГІЙ ПОЛОВИНІ ХХ – ПОЧАТКУ ХХІ СТ.: ОСНОВНІ ТЕНДЕНЦІЇ ПОЛІТИЧНОГО ТА СОЦІАЛЬНО-ЕКОНОМІЧНОГО РОЗВИТКУ: НАВЧ. ПОСІБНИК. – ЧЕНІВЦІ, 2010. – 200 с.**

У навчальному посібнику розглядаються найбільш характерні події, явища та процеси, що відбувалися в світі після Другої світової війни й до початку ХХІ ст.



This manual was prepared by Prof. O. Sych and A. Minaev Associate Professor of the Department of Modern and Contemporary History of the College of History, Political and International Studies of Yuriy Fedkovych' Chernivtsi National University on the basis of their lecture course on Contemporary History of Western-Europe and the USA and the World History, being delivered during the number of years at History Political and International Studies and Philology Colleges respectively. The manual is dedicated to the world's history study in the period that is of great importance represented by

the time from the end of World War II till current moment. This manual is full of actual information of great interest, well-considered generalizations and conclusions, well-fitted illustrations. This edition is recommended by the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine as a tutorial for students of high educational establishments, and it's intended in the first place for history college' students and other humanitarian specialties, but it is also of great interest for teachers and pupils of lyceums, colleges and gymnasiums.

The manual, made in frameworks of specific-chronological principle, consists of five chapters, the list of recommended literature, and also textual and illustrative appendixes. The first chapter "International Relations in Late XX<sup>th</sup> Century" is dedicated to consideration of molding the "bipolar" international relations system after the end of World War II and the general dynamic of international relations development in the world in conditions of "cold war". The processes of decolonization, regional economic and political integration are studied and the phenomena of regional wars, local conflicts and scientific and technical revolution are described in second chapter named "Main Processes and Tendencies of Political, Social and Economic Development of the World in Late XX<sup>th</sup> century". The third chapter of the manual "The Main Phenomena and Processes in Social, Economic and Political Spheres of Western Europe and the USA in late XX<sup>th</sup> century" enlightens the dynamic of social, economic and political development of Western countries; besides that the authors disclose the meaning of such concepts as "welfare state", "post-industrial society", analyze the prerequisites, contents and the outcome of "plan of Marshall" implementation, and the youth

protest of 60s. The fourth chapter “*The main phenomena and processes in social, economic and political spheres of Central and East-European countries in late XX<sup>th</sup> century*” comprises the study of processes of forming, evolution and downfall in this region so called regimes of “popular democracy”. In the last chapter named “*The World on Turn of Ages*” the authors have interrogated such acute nowadays problems as population crisis and the problem of migration, an ecological problem; the main consideration was given to the phenomenon of globalization and new tendencies of modern world progress caused by it.

**Сыч Александр, Минаев Андрей. МИР ВО ВТОРОЙ ПОЛОВИНЕ XX – НАЧАЛЕ XXI В.: ОСНОВНЫЕ ТЕНДЕНЦИИ ПОЛИТИЧЕСКОГО И СОЦИАЛЬНО-ЭКОНОМИЧЕСКОГО РАЗВИТИЯ: УЧЕБНОЕ ПОСОБИЕ / А.И. СЫЧ, А.В. МИНАЕВ. – ЧЕРНОВЦЫ: НАШИ КНИГИ, 2010. – 200 С., ИЛЛ.**

*В учебном пособии рассматриваются наиболее характерные события, явления и процессы, происходившие в мире после Второй мировой войны и до начала XXI в.*

**Ключевые слова:** *международные отношения, социально-экономическое и политическое развитие, „холодная война”, одекolonизация, региональные войны и локальные конфликты, интеграционные и дезинтеграционные процессы, научно-техническая революция, постиндустриальное общество, глобальные проблемы современного мира.*

The manual is crowned with interesting appendixes. The documental sources are the textual appendixes, that enable the reader to have a deeper understanding of this epoch in general, and, in particular, the sprouts, the course and the aftereffects of a “cold war” (especially the speech of W. Churchill in Fulton, the J. Stalin’s respond to it, the corresponding J. Marshall’, Truman’, Reagan’ addresses, the content of Treaty on foundation of NATO and WPO, etc.). The illustrative appendixes concerning the key events and personalities of postwar time serve as the visual aids and are the important addenda to the main content of the manual.

**Sych Alexander. Minayev Andriy. LE MONDE DANS LA SECONDE MOITIÉ DU XX-E ET LE DÉBUT DU VINGT-ET-UNIÈME SIÈCLE: LES TENDANCES PRINCIPALES DU DÉVELOPPEMENT SOCIO-ÉCONOMIQUE ET POLITIQUE: MANUEL / O.I. SYTCH, A.V. MINAEV – TCHERNIVTSI: “NOS LIVRES”, 2010. – 200 P., IL.**

*Dans le manuel on envisage événements, phénomènes et processus les plus caractéristiques qui ont eu lieu dans le monde après la Seconde Guerre mondiale et jusqu’au début du XXIe siècle.*

**Mots clés :** *relations internationales, développement socio-économique et politique, „guerre froide”, décolonisation, guerres régionales et conflits locaux, processus d’intégration et de désintégration, révolution scientifique et technique, société postindustrielle, problèmes mondiaux du monde moderne.*